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Invention: EXPOSURE PATTERN OR MASK AND INSPECTION METHOD AND MANUFACTURE
METHOD FOR THE SAME**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In full and timely response to the election of invention requirement of December 12, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin at page 5 of this paper.